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TAGS: TGEN, AG, US
SUBJECT: YOUNCED STAMBOULI

REF: ALGIERS 1769

1. STAMBOULI WAS INDEED WELL KNOWN TO EMBASSY'S OFFICE FOR
FAO AFFAIRS. HE WAS TECHNICALLY AN ALTERNATE PERMANENT REP-
RESENTATIVE TO FAO FROM HIS ARRIVAL IN MARCH 1973 TO HIS DEPAR-
TURE IN LATE AUTUMN 1976, BUT SINCE THERE WAS NO PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVE ACCREDITED FROM ALGERIA DURING THAT TIME, HE
WAS ONE OF A VERY FEW CHARGES. IN JANUARY 1977, AMBASSADOR
OMAR GHERBI WAS NAMED PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE, AND MINISTER-
COUNSELOR ABDELAZIZ BENDJENNA WAS NAMED ALTERNATE.

2. U.S. REPRESENTATIVE TO FAO NORRED, WHO ARRIVED IN
AUGUST 1974, CAME TO KNOW STAMBOULI MODERATELY WELL ON A
PROFESSIONAL BASIS. STAMBOULI AND HIS WIFE SEEMED TO BE
GENUINELY FRIENDLY TO AMERICANS ON A PERSONAL BASIS, AND
STAMBOULI WAS ON A FEW OCCASIONS HELPFUL IN CONF-
ERENCES, WHICH IS NOT PARTICULARLY UNUSUAL IN THE
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ATMOSPHERE HERE, WHICH IS LESS POLITICALLY CHARGED THAN
MOST OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION CENTERS. IDEO-
LOGICALLY, HOWEVER, HE AS A READY EXPONENT OF THE
NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER, AND AS ONE OF THE
LEADERS OF THE AFRICAN BLOC HE WAS CLOSELY ASSOCIATED
WITH JEAN CAMARA OF GUINEA, AN EXTREMIST WHO HEADED
GROUP-77 HERE DURING 1975 AND MOST OF 1976, AND IS STILL

HEAD OF THE AFRICAN GROUP. STAMBOUL SPEAKS PRACTICALLY
NO ENGLISH, BUT AS WE RECALL IT, HIS WIFE SPEAKS IT
MODERATELY WELL.

3. A CLOSE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIP WITH STAMBOULI WAS
DEVELOPED BY DEPUTY U.S. REPRESENTATIVE TO FAO CHARLES
HIGGINSON, WHO WAS TRANSFERRED HERE IN SEPTEMBER 1975
FROM ALGIERS. WE WILL ASK HIGGINSON TO SUPPLEMENT THIS
LIMITED COMMENT AS SOON AS HE RETURNS FROM LEAVE IN
LATTER PART OF AUGUST.GARDNER

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